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INTERCHANGEABLE BRAKE PADS)

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 11/22/02, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

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Page 3, line 12, after "inserted", insert --- sequentially ---.

Page 3, line 19, change "a" to --- an operational ---.

Page 3, 4th line from the bottom, change "can change the" to --- facilitates optimizing ---.

Page 4, last line, change rails in the second occurrence to --- indentations ---.

Page 4, 2nd line from bottom, change "indentation, or trough" to --- indentations, or troughs ---; and after "16a" insert --- as more clearly shown in Figure 3 ---.

Page 4, 3rd line from the bottom, after "In" and before "loading", insert --- sequentially ---.

Page 4, 9th line from the bottom, change the sentence "Holder 16 is molded onto backbone 12." to read --- As shown in Figure 3, holder 16 is partially molded within holder 12. ---.

Page 5, first line, after "to" and before "rail", insert --- 13a for mating engagement with ---, and after "16a" insert --- and ---.

Page 5, line 2, before "capture", insert --- further ---.

Page 5, line 11, after "Figure 2" insert --- and more clearly showing brake shoe transverse curvature substantially in conformance with the radius of the bicycle wheel rim. ---.

Page 5, line 16, after "into" and before "holder", insert --- and thus the curvature ---.